

# LANGLEY CAMERA CLUB



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Theme: Weather



When creating images outdoors, we cannot help but be affected by weather one way or another. The subjects that we shoot, whether portraits, landscapes or cityscapes all catch the mood broadcast by mother nature. Oftentimes clear blue skies loved by so many can be the death of good photography.

What better place to look for weather photos than with National Geographic? Following is a series of images on weather provided by National Geographic. I like this page as it really demonstrates how weather makes for mood in photography.

<https://www.nationalgeographic.com/photography/photo-tips/photographing-weather/>

Michelle Valberg of Canadian Geographic has Seven Tips for Cold Weather Photography. Like REALLY cold. What I did like about this article was how important it is to protect your equipment after shooting in a cold or humid situation.

<https://www.canadiangeographic.ca/article/seven-tips-cold-weather-photography>

Another great site for weather photography, funny enough is from the iPhone Photography School. You need to fight your way through the advertising but some of the images and suggestions work for both camera and phone-camera applications.

<https://iphonophotographyschool.com/bad-weather/>

Stanley Harper from the website Improve Photography has produced the following wonderful article on weather photography; what you need to bring along and importantly, how to keep yourself safe. He is based in Oklahoma so he sees some pretty crazy weather. Most of what he speaks about applies to the Wet Coast as well.

<https://improvephotography.com/39588/weather-photography/>

A consideration you might make if weather photography becomes a passion is a weather/radar app. Some of the apps are quite good but you either have to put up with the advertising or pay a rather hefty subscription.